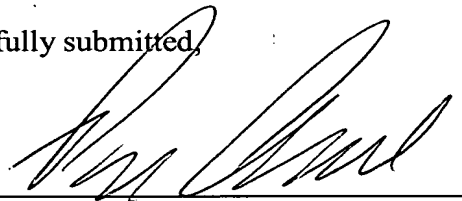


REMARKS

Applicants respectfully request that the foregoing amendments to claim 7 and new claim 11 be entered prior to examination in order to avoid this application incurring a surcharge for the presence of one or more multiple dependent claims. Applicants wish to advise the Examiner that the amendments to claims 1 and 5, cancellation of claims 3, 4 and 8 and new claims 9 and 10 were submitted with the Article 19 amendment. An early and favorable action on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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